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For: Protective Pad Apparatus Having Air	:	Confirmation No.: 8830
Ventilating and Restrictive Radiant Heat	:	
Transfer/Absorption Aspects	:	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated November 27, 2007. A petition for a one (1) month extension of time to extend the response due date to March 27, 2008 is included herewith. Kindly enter the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.